



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD  
CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

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**CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

Himes, Mrs. Grace  
c/o Church Nilson Paulen  
121 W. Franklin, Ste 402  
Elkhart, IN 46516

Re: Himco Dump, Elkhart, Indiana

Dear Sirs:

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Thomas Nash, Assistant Regional Counsel at (312) 886-0552, or Mary Elaine Gustafson, Remedial Project Manager at (313) 886-6144.

Sincerely,

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